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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

Report Date: September 13, 2004

Mine Name: Homer and Barts

Operator or Permittee Name:

Ralph Simpson

Permittee Mailing Address:

929 N. 2500 W., Vernal, UT 84078

Inspector(s): Paul Baker

Other Participants: John Blake

Weather: Mostly clear, 80's

Permit Status: Active

Current Acreages:

Total Permitted (Bonded): 1

Total Disturbed: 0

Permit number: S/047/078

Inspection Date: July 7, 2004

Inspection Start Time: 11:00 AM

Inspection End Time: 11:20 AM

Site location/Area Inspected (i.e. Pit #):

Entire area

Surface Ownership: SITLA

Mineral Ownership: SITLA

Mineral Mined: Surface stone

Type of Mine: Surface

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	N/A	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (open shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Explosives, magazines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Demolition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Backfilling and Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Inspection Summary:

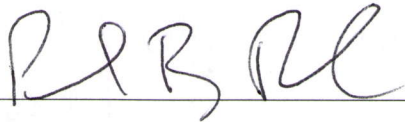
General comments:

Mr. Blake said the operator has reported some production, but we were not able to see any signs of disturbance. The operator had marked on a map a few areas from which he was going to take stone. Concentrating on rock outcrops, we drove and walked all the areas shown on the map but found nothing.

Directions to the site: Starting at US 40 just east of Vernal, head south on SR 45 for 4.9 miles. Take the unpaved road heading east for about 1.2 miles. This is the area marked on the map in the notice of intent where the operator was going to take stone from the surface.

GPS data: I took no GPS readings.

Inspector's Signature

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R B Simpson', written over a horizontal line.

Date: September 13, 2004

PBB:jb

cc: Ralph Simpson, Operator

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